



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re App : Robert A. Ersek et al
S.N. : 07/863,848
Filed : April 6, 1992
For : TREATMENT OF UROLOGICAL AND
GASTRIC FLUID REFLUX
DISORDERS BY INJECTION OF
MICRO PARTICLES

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AMENDMENT A

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Paper is submitted in response to the Examiner's Action of Paper No. 13 dated July 12, 1993. Although the original shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on October 12, 1993, a Petition for a two-month extension of time is submitted herewith, extending the due date to Monday, December 13, 1993. It is requested that the following amendments be entered:

IN THE CLAIMS:

cancel claims 31-52 and substitute new claims 53-72 for them
as follows:

1-53. A method for long-term treatment of urological and gastric disorders comprising the step of injecting submucosally or

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